## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 332 By Cooper

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Megan Emilee Green, 2005 Co-Valedictorian of Huntland High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Megan Emilee Green is one such exceptional student who was recently named Co-Valedictorian of the 2005 graduating class at Huntland High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Megan has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. Green has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average; she is President of the Beta Club, Secretary of her chapter of the National Honor Society, Secretary of FCA, a member of the Drama Club and the Interact Club; and

WHEREAS, a well-rounded individual, Megan plays varsity soccer, is varsity basketball manager, a peer tutor, engaged in the "Beta Garden" school landscaping, is a Special Olympics coach, has engaged in "Trick-or-Treating for Ronald McDonald", Operation Noel, visiting nursing homes and shut-ins, participated in Angel Trees, and the Franklin County Business and Health fair; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to honors and accolades, Ms. Green is certified as a Nurse Aide, was a semifinalist in the National Toyota Community Scholars Program, holds a Certificate of Participation in the Tennessee Leadership Seminar, is a HOBY Representative, and has Perfect Attendance for eight consecutive years; and

WHEREAS, Megan's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; she plans to pursue a Bachelor of Science in Nursing at David Lipscomb University and a Master of Science in Nursing – Pediatric Nurse Practitioner, Women's Health Specialist at Vanderbilt University, utilizing a number of scholarships awarded to her; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Green's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Barry and Susan Green, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Megan's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2005 Huntland High School Co-Valedictorian, Megan Emilee Green, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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